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CHAPMAN Lodge No. 25 A. F. & A. M. meets on the third Wednesday of each month at the Masonic Hall, Central Street, between South 2d and 3d streets. Charles Ilfeld, Sec'y.

Hayes is for Grant in 1880.

Devens has decided not to leave the cabinet.

Gold is quoted in New York at par.

The Trinidad News declares that all the old settlers in Pueblo are how legged.

A country blacksmith put up a notice: No hoeses shod Sunday except sickness or death."

The New York Tribune declares Blaine to be the most formidable candidate for president in 1880.

A congressional committee have examined congressman Acklen's case and found nothing wrong in him.

The Californians are now afraid that the chinese will be naturalized into voters.

It is stated that seven millions of people died during the late famine in China.

This frigid weather makes the north more solid every day. It will soon be as solid as the solid south.

According to the census there are 183 men and 229 women in Austria over 100 years of age.

The weather is reported very severe throughout Europe—paying off the balance for a hot summer. The law of equilization must be fulfilled.

Thirty-Four complains of very severe cold weather in Las Cruces, freezing up pumps and bringing overcoats into requisition.

Nearly all the Oregon ex-Senators are farmers. Joe Lane, Nesmith, Ben. Harding and Colonel Kelly are all honest grangers.

There are a total, whites and blacks, in Georgia of 85,000 persons in 1878, who can not read and write, against 186,244 in 1874. A considerable improvement.

The Mail company from Santa Fe to Silver City have placed fine four horse coaches on the entire line. The time from Santa Fe to Mesilla has been reduced to sixty hours.

There is a big ring of patent attorneys and owners of patents in attendance on Congress. They constitute a powerful lobby in the interest of the bill to change the patent laws.

Hon. T. Romero introduced a bill in Congress (H. R. No. 6685) for the relief of Lorenzo Valdez and Francisco P. Abreu, Dec. 14. The bill was read a first and second time and referred to the Committee of Claims.

A California paper remarks that it is useless for physicians to argue against short sleeved dresses. The constitution says: "The right to bear arms shall not be interfered with."

Mr. Hewitt, of Alabama. I ask unanimous consent that the committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union be discharged from the further consideration of the bill (H. R. No. 257) granting pensions to certain soldiers and sailors of the Mexican and other wars, therein named, and that it be made a special order for January 9.

The Speaker. The Chair desires to say to the gentleman that January the 9th has been fixed for the consideration of the Army bill.

Mr. Hewitt, of Alabama. Then I will say Tuesday next after that.

Mr. White, of Pennsylvania. I object to that.

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Mr. Hewitt, of Alabama. I desire then to give notice that on Thursday, the 9th day of January next, I shall move to go into Committee of the Whole to take up that bill, and I propose to do it every time that I can get the floor until it is considered.

At the recent election in Cuba the Constitutional Union, or Spanish, party was victorious. The platform of this party regarding the abolition of slavery is as follows: "Abolition of slavery according to the Moret law enacted under the republican form of government in Spain, presided by Castelar in all its essential provisions, modifying it as to period, within the scope of moral and material necessities of the country; and further amending it in all that may tend to ameliorate the condition of the slaves still in bondage since its promulgation, any pecuniary compensation to the owners thereof." The platform advocates a commercial treaty with the United States, "founded upon a basis of ample reciprocity.—Inter Ocean.

Guadalupe.

The Mexican population of our valley had on the 12th of this month the solemnization of Saint Guadalupe and it was announced by the playing of beautiful pieces by the brass band of music. The saint was carried to the church in procession attended by all our citizens; there was firing with avails, bonfires and illuminated buildings that were a grand sight.

Massachusetts has beaten Maine in the contest for the judiciary prize of the New England circuit, in which both States vie. Judge Devens, no doubt, wanted the place for himself but the President seems to have been afraid of risking letting him go and opening up a squabble over a Cabinet position. The appointment of Judge Lowell, the friend of Senator Hoar, gives the circuit a worthy and able man, but it will not make the relations between the administration and senator Blaine a bit more friendly. One Fox was Blaine's man.—Philadelphia Times.

Mr. Joyce of Vermont has introduced a bill in Congress amending section 3489 of the Revised Statutes of the United States extending the time for presenting claims for horses lost in the United States military service, to June 30th, 1880.

A malicious hint abroad Grant will print a book. He should reflect upon it after he is well settled in term, in fact, many things that seem to be a grand success.

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